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In re Application for:

Ariel Hendel, et al.

Serial No.: 08/813,647

Filed: March 7, 1997

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
PARALLEL TRUNKING OF INTERFACES
TO INCREASE TRANSFER BANDWIDTH**



Examiner: Thong, Vu

Art Group: 2152

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Applicants have received an Office Action in the above-referenced matter dated April 2, 2002 referred to as Paper No. 23. The Examiner enclosed a Notice of References Cited with Paper No. 23, a copy of which is enclosed. However, only copies of references A and B, the Parameswaran Nair, et al. and Freeman patents, were enclosed. Applicants hereby request that copies of references C, D, E, F and G be provided, that is, the Koybayashi, et al., Hendel, et al., Mills, Stevens, et al. and Ziegra, et al. patents.

Respectfully submitted,

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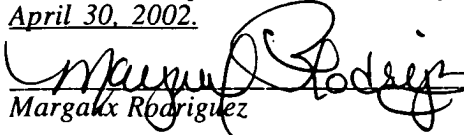
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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple Dependent claim
109	84	209	42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920	112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840	113	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for response within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for response within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for response within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for response within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for response within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidably	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentionally	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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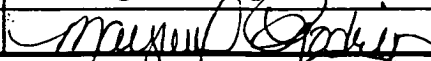
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